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**SELECT LIST**  
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## PEONIES

The best time to transplant Peonies is from the beginning of September to end of October, as the plants receive the least shock at that time and get fairly well established before making the next season's growth. They grow best in light rich loam, but any good garden soil will produce good results. The ground should be well prepared, and while well rotted manure is beneficial to them, it should in no case be applied directly to the roots. A good mulching will help them materially. The roots should be set so that the eyes are from two to three inches beneath the surface of the soil. Deep planting is the most frequent cause of blind plants. They never produce the best flowers until the second year after planting and should be left undisturbed for a few years. It is therefore advisable to plant them two and one-half to three feet apart. Peonies are practically immune from diseases and if strong healthy plants are procured, there is little to fear. The only insect that may attack the Peony is the Rose Chafer, and then only the late varieties. The best way to destroy them is by hand-picking.

We issue a complete catalogue of Hardy Herbaceous Perennials which will be sent on request.

**BUSINESS TERMS**—Prices quoted in this List are net 30 days. All goods are offered subject to being unsold on receipt of order and we reserve the right to change prices if current conditions require it. All goods travel at purchaser's risk after they are in the hands of any common carrier. Claims must be made on receipt of goods, otherwise they will not be considered. Packing will be charged extra at cost. Orders from unknown parties must be accompanied by cash or satisfactory references.

**RESPONSIBILITY:** Many of the failures with plants are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as weather or soil condition, bad planting, etc., and while we take the greatest care to send out only plants which will produce satisfactory results, we cannot be held responsible for the failure of same. We also exercise the greatest care to have all plants true to name but should any of them be found otherwise, it is mutually agreed between the purchaser and ourselves that we shall not be held liable for a greater amount than the original purchase price of stock.



## SINGLE HERBACEOUS PEONIES

65 cents each, except where noted

2 year clumps—\$1.00 each

While they are not as good for cut flowers as the double varieties, for Garden and Landscape effects, they are invaluable.

**AREOS**, broad silky petals of delicate shell pink changing lighter as flower matures. Very early.

**CELESTE BROCHET**, milk white petals thickly sprinkled with minute dots of lilac, giving a total effect of pale lavender or faint pink. Stock limited. \$4.00 each.

**CLAIRETTE**, tall, strong stems with dark green foliage, bearing very large pure white flowers. The petals are long and silky and the center mass of stamens is bright yellow. \$3.50 each.

**DEFIANCE**, the striking contrast of the bright crimson petals and the golden stamens make the variety very effective for a spot of color in the garden. \$1.00 each.

**HERMES**, a soft shade of deep shell pink.

**LA FIANCEE**, large white flowers with a glowing mass of stamens. Tall, stiff stems and luxurious foliage. \$2.50 each.

**LE JOUR**, large, pure white flowers, petals of great substance, so that the flowers do not wilt down. Stamens yellow, showing red stigmas. Very fine. \$6.00 each.

**L'ETINCELANTE**, large flowers and broad petals of brilliant carmine with a silvery border. Stems erect and vigorous. \$3.50 each.

**MILLAIS**, medium-sized flowers of deep, dull red with yellow stamens. \$1.25 each.

**MRS. KEY**, a deep shade of glowing crimson. Very effective and one of the best of this color. \$1.25 each.

**PRINCESS OF WALES**, a beautiful shade of pink. The delicate flowers resemble wild roses. Our stock is limited. \$3.00 each.

**PURITY**, a free-blooming variety with extra large, pure white flowers. Very choice. \$2.50 each.

**ROSY DAWN**, vigorous, branching habit, foliage large and dark green. Buds of faintly tinted pink changing into pure white in the open flower. Very desirable. \$2.50 each.

**SINGLE WHITE**, from among our many thousands of seedlings we selected a number of the best. Glistening white flowers with golden stamens. \$1.25 each.

**THE QUEEN**, a beautiful single white, delicately suffused blush-pink. Free blooming and vigorous. \$2.00 each.

## SINGLE JAPANESE PEONIES

They flower later than the Chinese Singles

**ALMA**, pale pink petals enclosing a mass of incurved yellow petaloids. Very distinct. \$6.00 each.

**DOG ROSE**, very delicate pink petals with rounded tips and a mass of golden stamens. Resembles the wild rose for which it is named. \$3.50 each.

**FLASHLIGHT**, crimson petals with narrow central petals deep yellow with crimson shades. A most distinct and attractive flower. \$6.00 each.

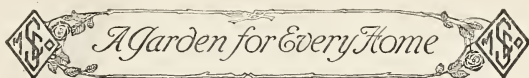
## DOUBLE HERBACEOUS PEONIES

Our prices are for 2 year old clumps

**Collection No 1. 85c Each**

**ACHILLE**, delicate shell pink but with a fresh, lively tint. Foliage "crinkled" on edges. Mid-season.

**ALEXANDRE DUMAS**, large, attractive blooms of bright pink often intermixed with creamy white petals. Midseason.



- ALICE DE JULVECOURT**, well formed flowers with broad petals of white faintly tinged lavender. Sometimes flecked crimson. Late midseason.
- CANDIDISSIMA**, guard petals pure white deepening to a pale yellow in the center. A good early white.
- DELICATISSIMA**, medium to large rather flat flowers of soft pink changing to nearly white. Early.
- DUC DE WELLINGTON**, large, flat flowers with broad guard petals of clear white and rather narrow central petals of deep cream with greenish lights. Midseason to late.
- EDOUARD ANDRE**, medium sized blossoms of a satiny crimson-maroon with rich golden center. Midseason.
- EDULIS SUPERBA**, deep rose pink with an occasional crimson marking. Guard petals wider than those in the center. Very early.
- GOLDEN HARVEST**, guard petals deep rose pink and a collar of creamy yellow with tufted center of pink. Midseason.
- LOUIS VAN HOUTTE**, flowers of medium size, of a beautiful dark crimson, with a luster which makes them noticeable.
- MADAME COSTE**, guard petals and center of rose pink and a collar of deep cream. The whole flower has a particularly fresh look and is very charming. Early midseason.
- MADAME FOREL**, a good sized flower with incurved petals of silvery pink. Long stems and good foliage. Midseason.
- MARECHAL VAILLANT**, immense full blooms of crimson of good substance. Stems long but should be supported to keep up the heavy blossoms. Very late.
- PHILOMELE**, medium sized flowers of bright rose, guard petals and center and collar of deep creamy yellow. Midseason to late.
- TORQUEMADA**, a free-blooming variety of soft rose pink. Even color and good as a cut flower. Midseason.
- SOLFATARE**, large, compact milk white blossoms with sulphur collar, fading to sulphur. Midseason.

### Collection No. 2. \$1.25 Each

- ADELAIDE DELACHE**, rose pink, petals tipped with creamy white and rather loosely arranged. Midseason.
- AUGUSTIN d'HOUE**, rich, deep carmine with silvery reflex. Midseason.
- DELIA**, guard petals ivory white with narrower center petals a sulphur yellow. A very pleasing variety, vigorous and free blooming. Early midseason.
- DOCTEUR CAILLOT**, good sized flowers of crimson. Blooms very freely oftentimes in clusters, and is a very good variety for garden effects. Midseason.
- DUCHESS DE NEMOURS**, cup-shaped blooms, broad guard petals of white and narrower central petals of sulphur yellow with oftentimes a marking of green. Early midseason.
- FESTIVA MAXIMA**, probably the most widely known of any Peony. Exceptionally large ivory-white flowers of rather feathery appearance, with a fleck of crimson in the center. Strong grower and free bloomer. Midseason.
- JEANNE d'ARC**, soft rose, with a collar lighter petals and carmine-tinted center. Midseason.
- LA TULIPE**, large pointed buds of light pink, beautifully marked with carmine stripes. Flowers light flesh pink. Very good. Midseason.
- MME. BARILLET DESCHAMPS**, a variety well adapted for landscape work, blossoms large, well formed and of a beautiful soft rose with silvery reflex. Foliage quite broad. Midseason.





**MME. CAMILLE BANCEL**, blooms light pink with silvery reflex, large and of good form. Excellent as a cut flower. Late.

**MME. DE GALHAU**, a distinct globular shape. Blossom of a delicate pink, with lighter guard petals. Late.

**MME. DE VERNEVILLE**, a beautiful milk-white Peony with center flesh-pink when first opened. Center petals sometimes tipped with carmine. Early to midseason.

**MME. DUCEL**, extra large globular blooms of a beautiful rose-pink with silver reflex, resembling a mammoth chrysanthemum. Very fine. Midseason.

**MME. MECHIN**, very dark lustrous garnet, showing bright golden stamens in strong contrast. Flowers of medium size but well shaped. Midseason.

**MODELE DE PERFECTION**, large full flowers of a light rose-pink with silvery shadings, center somewhat darker. Late.

**PRINCE OF WALES**, a semi-double dark crimson of medium size, with a pronounced showing of golden stamens. Midseason.

### Collection No. 3. \$1.75 each

**ARMAND ROUSSEAU**, stiff stems bearing large, symmetrical blooms of bright rose-pink prettily mixed with golden stamens. Midseason.

**COURONNE d'OR**, large, full flower of pure white with a circle of golden stamens. A very beautiful variety and valuable as a cut flower. Late.

**DORCHESTER**, plant somewhat dwarf, bloom of a delicate pink, of good size and fine form. Late.

**EDITH LYTTLETON**, quite an early and free-blooming variety of large globular form. Coloring, a beautiful deep shell-pink with light satiny tips.

**FELIX CROUSSE**, a compact globular bloom of large size and fine form, deep ruby red, center shading somewhat deeper. Very choice. Midseason to late.

**GLOIRE de CHARLES GOMBAULT**, tall, strong stems bearing large flower, of mauve-pink, with a very deep collar of creamy white and a pink tuft in the center. Very distinct. Midseason.

**GLOIRE de CHENONCEAUX**, large, medium rose-pink flowers, with center petals streaked with red. Midseason.

**JULES CALOT**, large double flowers of a beautiful shade of deep rose-pink. Blooms very freely and is choice as a cut flower. Late.

**LA TENDRESSE**, delightful milk-white flowers with an occasional splashing of carmine; good size and borne freely in clusters. Midseason.

**L'INDISPENSABLE**, very large flat blooms of delicate flesh pink. Valuable as a cut flower.

**MME. CALOT**, large, flesh-pink blossoms with some buff shades. Strong stems. Early.

**MME. CROUSSE**, a very large and beautiful pure white flower, sometimes showing a crimson fleck on a central petal. Extra. Midseason.

**MME. EMILE GALLE**, an exquisite shade of shell-pink. Flowers large and borne on long stems. We can thoroughly recommend this where a very late variety is desired.

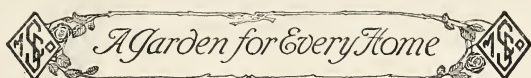
**MME. GEISSLER**, rose-pink shading to white or silvery-flesh; petals very compact, making an immense full flower. Stems are inclined to be weak and should have some support. Late.

**MME. LEONIE CALOT**, a beautiful shade of salmon-pink fading to a soft flesh-white. Blooms freely in clusters on long stems. Late.

**MME. MARIE CALOT**, a pure milk-white flower of good size and form with occasional edgings of crimson. Late midseason.

**MARIE**, well formed, compact flowers of white with faint tinge of canary-yellow. Very tall, stiff stem and very late.





**MARIE JACQUIN**, medium-sized flowers of delicate flesh-white changing to pure white. Petals pointed, and this, with the golden stamens often visible, give a pond-lily effect. A charming and exquisite flower. Midseason.

**MARIE LEMOINE**, plants somewhat dwarf, bearing large, full, creamy-white flowers with golden reflex. Very late.

**MASTERPIECE**, a deep, glowing crimson, oftentimes showing some golden stamens. Stems erect and a very fine variety for garden effects. Late.

**MODESTE GUERIN**, large globular blooms of a bright solferino pink, very vigorous and extra good as a cut flower. Midseason.

**PRINCESS IRENE**, tall, strong grower and blooms freely. Guard petals clear flesh color, and center petals sulphur yellow. Midseason.

**RUBRA SUPERBA**, a choice dark crimson of fine form and substance. Very late.

**SOUVENIR de l'EXPOSITION de BORDEAUX**, extra good as a landscape variety, with its large, clear, blooms of vinuous red. Midseason.

**TRIOMPHE de l'EXPOSITION de LILLE**, deep, shell-pink with minute splashings of a deeper shade. A remarkably uniform blossom, as the petals are laid in regular order. Midseason.

#### Collection No. 4. \$2.50 Each

**ALBERT CROUSSE**, large, well-formed flowers of soft shell-pink with faint salmon tints. Stems tall and strong and a vigorous grower. Very fine as a cut flower. Late.

**ALFRED de MUSSET**, large, full, double blossoms of a light pink with somewhat deeper center. Fragrant. Tall, upright stems and good foliage. Late.

**ASA GRAY**, a variety which was introduced a good many years ago, but rather scarce, as there is always a good demand. Unique flowers of milk-white thickly sprinkled with minute carmine dots, so that the total effect is delicate pink. Midseason.

**AVALANCHE**, a very fine ivory-white bloom of convex form, center oftentimes splashed with carmine. Excellent as a cut flower. Late midseason.

**CLAIRE DUBOIS**, very large globular blooms of satiny pink, petals long and incurved. Strong stems and dark green foliage. Late.

**COQUELIN**, very pretty cup-shaped flowers of china-pink, evenly formed and of medium size. Strong stems. Early.

**EUGENIE VERDIER**, a tall and free-blooming variety of good size and form. Delicate flesh center with lighter outer petals of a beautiful satiny sheen. Midseason.

**LAMARTINE**, extremely large flowers of delicate pink. A showy variety in the garden and has good keeping qualities. Midseason.

**LA ROSIERE**, a dainty variety with semi-double white blooms having yellow tints like a tea rose. Foliage dark green and "crinkled." Not large but very charming. Midseason.

**Mlle. ROUSSEAU**, milk-white with a few carmine splashes on back of guard petals and in center. Full double and of large size. Late midseason.

**MARGUERITE GERARD**, globular blooms of flesh pink fading to a creamy white, showing a ring of gold when fully developed. Strong grower and free bloomer. Late.

**MONSIEUR DUPONT**, large, symmetrical flowers of ivory-white with crimson markings in center. Strong, vigorous growth and a fine variety. Late.

**OCTAVIE DEMAY**, large rather flat flowers of pink and white beautifully blended. Fragrant. Rather dwarf plant, but good foliage.

**PERFECTION**, large flower of light pink, changing to flesh-white. Late.



**SIMONNE CHEVALIER**, soft pink with a lighter reflex. Large size and a lasting flower. Early midseason.

**SOUVENIR du DR. BRETONNEAU**, deep rose; rather loosely arranged petals. Midseason.

### Collection No. 5

Includes New and Rare Varieties

Prices are for strong divisions

**ADMIRAL TOGO**, a fine shade of crimson which is very attractive in the garden. Midseason. \$3.50 each.

**ADOLPHE ROUSSEAU**, very tall, strong grower, bearing rather loose, sometimes semi-double flowers of deep garnet. Very fine for the garden, where its height and color make it conspicuous. Early midseason. \$2.50 each.

**ALSACE LORRAINE**, pointed white petals suffused with a golden light from the stamens make this a charming variety, giving the thought of a water-lily. Tall and vigorous grower. Late. \$6.00 each.

**AURORE**, rather loosely arranged petals give a charming effect of creamy-white with golden lights. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

**AVIATEUR REYMOND**, a very attractive shade of cherry-red with deeper garnet shades at base of petals. \$8.50 each.

**BARONESS SCHROEDER**, one of the best and most satisfactory white Peonies, immense globular flowers, white guard petals, and a soft, baby-pink center becoming pure white. Stems very strong and rather light green foliage. Late midseason. \$2.50 each.

**BAYADERE**, large, globular flowers of creamy white with a golden heart. Symmetrical and very pleasing in form. Midseason. \$8.00 each.

**BEAUTY'S MASK**, large flower of faint blush-pink with narrow petaloids of deep cream, edged yellow. These are incurved with the petals and give the flower a distinct appearance. \$3.50 each.

**BELLE MAUVE**, large full flowers of silvery lilac-rose. Fragrant, vigorous, and a free bloomer. Midseason. \$4.50 each.

**BERTRADE**, large, compact blooms of ivory white; stiff stems and of vigorous habit when established. Late. \$4.50 each.

**CORONATION**, delicately tinted buds opening into creamy-white flowers, backs of guard petals very pale pink. Base of petals show golden light and the symmetrical blooms are very charming. Late midseason. \$6.00 each.

**DOCTEUR H. BARNSBY**, large, very full blooms of crimson with darker shades. Free bloomer in clusters, making a good variety for garden effects. Late. \$6.00 each.

**E. G. HILL**, large, symmetrical flowers, petals very closely and evenly placed. Rose-pink with lighter tints and occasionally a few golden stamens. Stiff stems of medium height. Our stock is strong and vigorous. Midseason. \$4.50 each.

**ELIE CHEVALIER**, large blooms of rose-pink, globular, rather loosely formed. Tall grower. Midseason. \$3.00 each.

**ELWOOD PLEAS**, very large, flat flowers of a very delicate pink or white tinted pink. A strong grower. Midseason. \$8.00 each.

**ENCHANTERESSE**, large, globular flowers of creamy white, sometimes showing flecks of carmine. A tall, strong grower. Late. \$8.00 each.

**ESTAFETTE**, good sized, globular blooms of carmine with silvery light. Very early. \$4.50 each.

**ETTA**, exceptionally large, semi-flat flowers of a very fine shade of deep shell-pink. We consider this one of Terry's best. Very late. \$3.00 each.

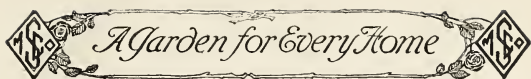
**EUCHARIS**, fragrant, creamy white, of large size and globular shape. Late. \$7.00 each.



- EUGENE BIGOT**, a very fine, brilliant crimson, of upright habit and medium height. One of the most conspicuous of this color. Late midseason. \$3.00 each.
- EUGENE REIGNOUX**, large, strong grower, producing an abundance of semi-double, rather brilliant pink flowers. Early midseason. \$3.00 each.
- EUGENE VERDIER**, rather dwarf with very stiff stems bearing flowers of deep shell-pink intermixed with creamy yellow. Distinct. Late. \$3.00 each.
- EVANGELINE**, well formed, compact flowers of pale pink. A very fresh and charming flower. Late. \$6.00 each.
- EXQUISITE**, good-sized flat flowers of warm pink, petals rather pointed. Not strong in young plants, but well established plants produce fine flowers. Fragrant. Midseason to late. \$22.00 each.
- FRAICHEUR**, like almost all of Lemoine's varieties, very large flowers of fine form. Creamy white, with delicately tinted guard petals. \$11.00 each.
- FRANCES SHAYLOR**, globular flowers of iridescent white petals interspersed with incurved yellow stamens. A very distinct variety. Dwarf plant. Midseason. \$22.00 each.
- FRANCOIS ROUSSEAU**, dark red of fine form and very lustrous. Medium height. Early. \$6.00 each.
- GALATHEE**, a well-formed flower of pearly white. Very full double, yet opens well. Long stem and very late. Extra. \$7.00 each.
- GEORGIANA SHAYLOR**, exceptionally large, flat flowers of pale rose-pink with an occasional crimson fleck. Dwarf but sturdy habit. Midseason to late. We consider this to be one of the finest of Mr. Shaylor's seedlings. \$16.50 each.
- GERMAINE BIGOT**, cameo-pink with lighter flesh-colored tints in center of flower, very broad petals, sometimes showing a few stamens. Medium height and strong, stiff stems. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- GINETTE**, large, symmetrical flowers of deep flesh, with salmon tints at base of petals. Golden stamens are visible in flowers from young plants, but when well established the flowers are extra fine. Fragrant. \$12.00 each.
- GISMONDA**, full double flowers of creamy white with a rosy light deepening toward the center. Fragrant. Late. A very charming variety. \$4.00 each.
- GRANDIFLORA**, exceptionally large, very flat flowers of silvery, shell pink. Petals are pointed, giving a very pretty effect. Very late. Extra. \$2.50 each.
- GROVER CLEVELAND**, fine, dark crimson blooms on upright stems of medium height. Extra good for garden effects. Late. \$2.50 each.
- JAMES KELWAY**, exquisite white with a golden glow at base of petal. Sometimes seem double. Very tall and strong and very fragrant. Early midseason. \$2.50 each.
- JEANNE GAUDICHAU**, large, well-formed flowers of delicate pink fading to creamy flesh at tips of petals. Late. \$7.00 each.
- JEANNOT**, cup-shaped flowers of soft shell-pink slightly tinted lavender. Salmon-pink lights at base of petals. \$25.00 each.
- JESSIE SHAYLOR**, large, rather flat flowers of a delicate shade of deep cream with a reflexed light much like that of a tea rose. Fragrant. Midseason. \$22.00 each.
- JOHN RICHARDSON**, large, flat flowers, center deep pink, gradually fading lighter toward the tips of the petals. Tall grower. Fragrant. Considered by many to be one of the best very late varieties. \$6.00 each.
- JUBILEE**, extremely large, flat flowers of ivory white, petals long and narrow and arranged loosely, giving a feathery effect. Stems long and weak. Midseason. \$16.00 each.

- KARL ROSENFELD**, brilliant, dark crimson, of good form and substance. Stems stiff. One of our best of this color. \$4.50 each.
- KELWAY'S QUEEN**, large, globular blooms of fine form and habit. Deep flesh-pink with a few markings of carmine in the center. Fragrant. Midseason. The true variety. \$16.00 each.
- LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF**, this variety is one of the finest of the Kelway productions. Very broad petals of soft French pink, with flesh tints. Height medium and stems upright. The true variety is a strong grower in every way. Midseason. \$12.00 each.
- LA FAYETTE**, large, evenly-formed blooms of rich pink with a silvery reflex. Fragrant and a fine variety. Midseason. \$5.00 each.
- LA FEE**, globular flowers of rose-pink with a silvery light, collar creamy yellow. Fragrant and early. The available stock of this variety is limited. \$16.00 each.
- LA FIANCEE**, very large blooms of creamy white, sometimes with crimson flecks in center. Rather high center in bomb type. Long, strong stems. Midseason. \$3.50 each.
- LA FRANCE**, enormous, rather flat flowers on strong stems. Soft pink, with lavender lights at base of petals. Late. A very fine variety. \$12.00 each.
- LA LORRAINE**, wonderful globular blooms of creamy white, borne high above the foliage. Some golden stamens are visible, giving a golden light to the open flowers. Stock very limited. Midseason to late. \$12.00 each.
- LAMARTINE**, full, evenly-formed bloom of carmine, ends of petals tipped white. Strong stems. Late. Scarce. \$12.00 each.
- LA PERLE**, the true variety is a charming flower. Blush-white in center, growing darker toward the edge. Fragrant. Late. \$2.50 each.
- LE CYGNE**, charming milk-white flower with incurved petals. Immense size, but symmetrical, so that it does not seem coarse. Stiff stems and dark green foliage. At the American Peony Society exhibits this variety has been awarded first as "best specimen bloom." \$22.00 each.
- LOVELINESS**, large, flat, very full flowers of light pink tinted lavender. Stem strong and upright. Late. \$8.50 each.
- MADAME AUGUSTE DESSERT**, very beautiful soft pink, fading to flesh color. In the half-open flower a ring of golden stamens is visible. Midseason. A fine variety. \$2.50 each.
- MADAME BOULANGER**, beautiful blooms of cameo pink with some markings of carmine. Delightfully fragrant, the buds resembling large roses. Late. \$3.00 each.
- MADAME D. TREYERAN**, delicately-tinted white petals, dotted and splashed with lilac. A free bloomer and very fragrant. Early. \$4.50 each.
- MME. EMILE LEMOINE**, large, full blooms of soft, flesh-white petals having a rather translucent effect. Erect habit. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- MADAME FOULD**, milk-white flowers borne on strong stems. Very full double but if watered plentifully will develop into immense flowers. Very late. \$2.50 each.
- MADAME GAUDICHAU**, exceptionally dark crimson garnet, full globular flowers. The stalks and leaf stems are dark crimson. \$12.50 each.
- MADAME GUYOT**, large, high-built flowers of deep cream or pale yellow, with some markings of green. A strong grower and free bloomer. Very desirable. Early midseason. \$6.00 each.
- MADAME JULES DESSERT**, exquisite flowers of large size; broad, delicate petals of a translucent texture. Creamy white but lighted with buff and salmon shades. A very fine flower in every way and one of the best we know. Midseason to late. \$8.75 each.





- MADemoiselle JEANNE RIVIERE**, guard petals deep flesh gradually changing lighter, center petals narrower and of a deep cream shade. Tall, strong stems and abundant flowers. This variety is especially good for garden or mass effects. Midseason. \$6.00 each.
- MARCELLE DESSERT**, creamy white splashed with minute lilac dots, giving the effect of a delicately tinted flower. Some "accidental" carmine markings. Fragrant. Midseason. \$4.50 each.
- MARIE CROUSSE**, globular blooms of a very delicate shell-pink or deep flesh color. Stiff, upright stems. Fragrant. A very attractive flower. Midseason to late. \$6.00 each.
- MARQUIS C. LAGERGREN**, brilliant cherry red with darker shadings. Flowers borne in clusters on stiff, upright stems, which make it an excellent variety for mass planting. Midseason. \$4.00 each.
- MIGNON**, globular flower of pale pink, with sometimes slight crimson markings. The blooms are symmetrical and stand well above the luxuriant light green foliage, giving a finished appearance. Rather dwarf. Midseason. \$8.50 each.
- MILTON HILL**, very beautiful flower of a delicate shade of flesh color with pale salmon-pink tints; sometimes marked crimson. Of globular form and rather incurved petals; it is an exquisite flower in every way. Late. \$3.50 each.
- M. JULES ELIE**, immense globular blooms, guard petals recurved, resembling chrysanthemums. Clear medium pink with a silvery tinge. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- M. MARTIN CAHUZAC**, very dark garnet or maroon; globular flowers of medium size on strong stems. The darkest Peony we have ever seen. Midseason. \$6.00 each.
- MONT BLANC**, extremely large flowers of milky white, very full double. Petals of medium width fringed at tips, giving a feathery appearance. Stems very large and tall. Midseason. \$8.50 each.
- NEPTUNE**, faint lilac guard petals, center milk white, well formed flowers on strong stems. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- ODETTE**, large, bomb-shaped flowers of deep creamy white, guard petals tinted pink. Strong stems and fragrant flowers. Midseason. \$3.00 each.
- PASTEUR**, large flowers of very delicate shell pink with soft yellow lights at base of petals. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- PIERRE DUCHARTE**, evenly-colored deep shell-pink flower with very broad, rounded petals. Stems strong and upright, although only of medium height. Very late. \$2.50 each.
- PIERRE REIGNOUX**, large flowers of bright rose-pink petals rather loosely arranged. A free bloomer in clusters. Early. \$2.50 each.
- PINK BARONESS SCHROEDER**, sent out by Keiway in some cases as Baroness Schroeder. Exceptionally large fine flowers, flat in form, of deep shell-pink with delicate tints. Extra good both as a cut flower and for garden effects. Midseason. \$12.00 each.
- POMPONETTE**, dwarf to medium height; flowers velvety pink with a silvery reflex. Midseason. \$2.50 each.
- PRIMEVERE**, guard petals deep creamy yellow and center petals sulphur-yellow. If not exposed to the full sun the flowers will hold a canary yellow which is most attractive. Very fine. Midseason. \$6.00 each.
- REINE HORTENSE**, large compact flower with broad rounded petals of soft flesh-color, center showing some crimson splashes. Very charming variety. Midseason. \$3.00 each.
- R. P. WHITFIELD**, flesh, shading a little deeper towards the edge. Rather flat flowers borne on long stems. Very late. \$2.50 each.

**ROSA BONHEUR**, delightful flowers of fresh soft pink. Petals even and incurved, giving a globular shape. Plant rather dwarf and compact. Midseason. \$8.00 each.

**SAMUEL HENSHAW**, guard petals clear rose-pink tinged with white, center petals narrower; cream and pink intermixed. Very large. Late. \$6.00 each.

**SARAH BERNHARDT**, very large, well formed flowers of good quality. Delicate shell-pink of charming freshness. Extra. Late. \$6.00 each.

**SARAH CARSTENSON**, soft shell-pink changing to deep flesh, center petals edged or flecked carmine. Globular in form and a very attractive flower. Medium to dwarf but of strong growth. Midseason. \$12.00 each.

**SOLANGE**, extra large flowers with broad rounded petals of such fine form that the flower does not look coarse. Petals waxy white but suffused with a reddish golden light, so that the total effect is such as may be seen on a cloud at sunset. One of the very finest. Late midseason. \$12.00 each.

**SOUVENIR de LOUIS BIGOT**, exceptionally large blooms of a very distinct shade of rich salmon-pink with silvery lights. Extra fine. Late midseason. Scarce. \$12.00 each.

**STANDARD BEARER**, very high-built globular blooms with recurved central petals. Uniform color of pale pink. Fragrant. Dwarf but with strong, stiff stems. Early. \$25.00 each.

**STANLEY**, large, globular flowers of light pink with lilac lights. Total effect is very pretty. Midseason. \$3.00 each.

**SUZETTE**, petals of brilliant rose-pink interspersed with golden stamens. Strong stems that give a profusion of bloom, literally covering the plants, making this a fine variety for garden effects. Midseason. \$5.00 each.

**THERESE**, one of the very best and probably the most satisfactory variety in commerce. Vigorous and free blooming, producing large flowers of soft shell-pink with lighter center. Stems of medium height and good strength. Midseason. \$7.50 each.

**TOURANGELLE**, cup-shaped flowers of delicate creamy white with deeper salmon shadings at base of petals. Most unusual and beautiful coloring. Very fragrant. Late. \$8.50 each.

**VENUS**, exquisite pointed buds, opening into large, compact flowers of delicate shell-pink with a collar of flesh-white. Extra good both as a garden flower and as a cut flower. One of the best in our collection. Midseason. \$2.50 each.

**WILLIAM F. TURNER**, very dark red or garnet. Tall, strong grower and gives a fine spot of color in the garden. Midseason. \$8.50 each.

## PAEONIA OFFICINALIS

These flower first of all and are rather dwarf

**ALBA PLENA**, large pure white white convex blooms. \$1.00 each.

**ROSEA PLENA**, large double pink flowers. \$1.00 each.

**RUBEN PLENA**, rich dark crimson. \$1.00 each.

## PAEONIA SUFFRUTICOSA (Arborea)

### Tree Peonies

They are some of the finest plants available for the garden, are quite hardy and grow well under the simplest treatment. The flowers are large and of great beauty. They do not die down to ground like the herbaceous sorts, but make fine bushes 3 to 4 feet in height. The colors vary from purest white to light pink, salmon and dark red. We are always in a position to supply some named varieties at \$5.00 each.



## IRIS

### IRIS GERMANICA—German Iris, Fleur de Lis

Truly called "The Orchids of the Garden," with their wonderful colorings, ranging from pure white through all the shades of blue, mauve, purple, yellow and maroon. The flowers are of the finest texture and have a delicate fragrance. They thrive in any well-drained good garden soil if given a sunny position. Plant shallow with the rhizomes just covered.

**Note**—S, means Standards or the erect petals.

F, means Falls or the drooping petals.

Prices—25c each; \$2.25 per 10, except where noted.

- ADMIRAL TOGO.** S, white, faintly tinted lavender at edge; F, ivory-white.
- AFTERGLOW.** Soft, greyish-pink shading to rich yellow through center. 36 in. \$3.00 each.
- ALBERT VICTOR.** S, soft blue; F, beautiful lavender. Very fine. 40 in.
- ALBICANS.** S, and F, pure white. 22 in.
- ALCAZAR.** S, light violet; F, deep purple, bronze-veined throat. Large flower, 40 in. \$1.25 each.
- ANNA FARR.** S, white, lightly bordered blue; F, pure white with pale lilac markings at base. Immense flower. 36 in. \$2.50 each.
- ARCHEVEQUE.** S, deep purple-violet; F, deepest velvety violet. A most beautiful flower. 24 in. \$1.00 each.
- ARNOLS.** S, rosy bronze; F, velvety purple. 22 in.
- AUREA.** Rich chrome-yellow. 20 in. 35c each.
- AUSTRALIS.** S, deep lavender; F, light blue. 32 in.
- BARIENSIS.** Delicately edged and dotted pale lilac-blue.
- BERCHTA.** S, olive-yellow; F, violet-blue, bordered reddish brown. 26 in.
- BLACK KNIGHT.** S, intense velvety-blue; F, velvety-purple. Exceedingly rich. Deepest colored Iris. \$1.25 each.
- BLUE JAY.** S, bright clear blue; F, intense dark blue. 30 in. 35c each.
- BRIDESMAID.** S, pale lavender; F, white reticulated lavender. 25 in.
- BRIONENSE.** Lavender-blue; very free.
- BROOKLYN.** S, lavender yellow at base; F, blue, veined brown at base. 27 in.
- CAPRICE.** S, and F, deep wine red. 50c each.
- CARTHUSIAN.** S, lavender blue; F, darker blue. 27 in. \$2.00 each.
- CATERINA.** An improved *Pallida dalmatica*. Larger flowers and taller stems. 45 in. \$1.00 each.
- CELESTE.** S, lavender; F, deep lavender, large flowers. 32 in. 35c each.
- CHARLES DICKENS.** S, blue; F, dark blue, suffused and veined dark violet. 26 in.
- CRUSADER.** S, light blue; F, deep violet-blue with orange-yellow beard. 42 in. \$3.00 each.
- CYPERIANA SUPERBA.** S, soft-blue; F, rich violet-purple. 30 in. 35c each.
- DALILA.** S, pale flesh white; F, rich purple. Very striking and rare. 22 in. \$2.00 each.
- DAWN.** Beautiful sulphur-yellow, bronze veined at throat; orange beard. 26 in. \$1.00 each.
- DONNA MARIA.** S, white; F, white shaded lilac. 18 in.
- EDOUARD MICHEL.** S, broad and frilled intense violet purple; F, broad, a distinct wine red. Very large flowers. 40 in. \$2.00 each.



- FAIRY.** White, delicately bordered and suffused pale blue. Very effective. 40 in.
- FLAVESCENS.** A delicate shade of soft yellow. 32 in.
- FLORENTINA.** Creamy white, fragrant. 24 in.
- FLORENTINA ALBA.** White, slightly tinged lavender. 24 in.
- FOSTER'S YELLOW.** S, and F, creamy yellow. 18 in.
- FRO.** S, golden yellow, edged olive-yellow; F, chestnut brown, bordered yellow. 50c each.
- GAJUS.** S, light clear yellow; F, crimson, reticulated white and yellow, with narrow yellow border. 26 in. 35c each.
- GRACCHUS.** S, primrose; F, crimson reticulated white; early. 20 in.
- HER MAJESTY.** S, rose-pink; F, bright crimson shaded darker. 22 in. 35c each.
- INNOCENZA.** S, and F, ivory white with a rich golden crest. 27 in.
- IRIS KING.** S, clear lemon-yellow; F, rich maroon bordered yellow. Brilliant large flowers. 25 in. 50c each.
- IROQUOIS.** S, smoky lavender, dotted brown; F, black maroon reticulated white at base. 50c each.
- ISOLINE.** S, silvery-lilac; F, purplish old rose, yellow beard. 36 in. \$1.00 each.
- JACQUESIANA.** S, bright coppery-crimson; F, rich maroon. Very beautiful. 30 in. 35c each.
- JUNIATA.** S, and F, clear blue, deeper than Dalmatica; large, fragrant flowers. 44 in. 50c each.
- KHARPUT.** S, violet blue; F, velvety dark blue. 26 in.
- KHEDIVE.** Soft lavender. 23 in.
- LADY FOSTER.** S, pale blue; F, light bluish-violet, veined old gold at throat. \$1.50 each.
- LA NEIGE.** Glistening pure white. 20 in. \$1.50 each.
- LEONIDAS.** S, clear mauve; F, rosy-mauve. Large flowers. 27 in. 35c each.
- LENT. A. WILLIAMSON.** S, campanula violet; F, rich royal purple, beard yellow. Tall and large. \$5.00 each.
- LOHENGRIN.** S, and F, soft shade of Cattleya-rose. Large flowers. 36 in. 50c each.
- LORD SEYMOUR.** S, white veined lilac, F, white veined lilac-blue. 27 in.
- LORD OF JUNE.** S, lavender-blue; F, rich violet-blue. Large flowers. Very magnificent. 40 in. \$5.00 each.
- LORELEY.** S, light yellow; F, ultramarine bordered with cream. 32 in. 35c each.
- MAORI-KING.** S, rich golden-yellow; F, velvety crimson margined gold. 18 in. 35c each.
- MARY GARDEN.** S, pale yellow, flushed pale lavender; F, cream white, dotted and veined maroon. 28 in. 75c each.
- MERCEDES.** S, purplish-lilac, shaded bronze; F, white dotted purple. 26 in. \$1.50 each.
- MITHRAS.** S, light yellow; F, brilliant wine-red with narrow border of deep yellow. 24 in. 50c each.
- MME. CHEREAU.** White, frilled azure-blue. 30 in.
- MONSIGNOR.** S, rich satiny violet; F, velvety purple-crimson. 24 in. \$1.00 each.
- MRS. ALAN GRAY.** S, and F, a delicate rose-mauve. 30 in. \$1.00 each.
- MRS. H. DARWIN.** S, snow-white; F, white, slightly reticulated violet. 24 in.
- MRS. GLADSTONE.** S, white; F, tipped dark purple. 27 in.
- MRS. NEUBRONNER.** Very deep golden yellow, 20 in. 35c each.



- MRS. G. REUTHE.** S, white suffused and marked blue; F, white edged soft blue. 26 in.
- NAVAJO.** S, light bronzy yellow, shaded lavender; F, deep maroon, heavily veined white and yellow. 30 in. \$1.00 each.
- NIBELUNGEN.** S, fawn-yellow; F, violet-purple on bronze. Large flowers. 50c each.
- NINE WELLS.** S, light violet; F, deep purple-violet showing white ground at throat. 48 in. 75c each.
- ORIFLAMME.** S, light blue; F, rich purple violet. Immense flowers. \$1.00 each.
- PALLIDA DALMATICA.** S, clear lavender-blue; F, clear deep lavender. A superb variety. 40 in. 35c each.
- PERFECTION.** S, light blue; F, velvety violet, almost black with orange beard. 24 in. 35c each.
- PFAUENAUGE.** S, olive-yellow; F, brownish blue with golden yellow border. 22 in. 50c each.
- PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE.** S, light sulphur yellow; F, rich, plum bordered cream. 50c each.
- PROSPER LAUGIER.** S, light bronze-red; F, velvety ruby-purple with orange beard. 25 in. 75c each.
- QUAKER LADY.** S, smoky lavender with yellow shadings; F, ageratum blue and old gold. 38 in. 75c each.
- QUEEN OF MAY.** S, and F, rosy-lavender. 27 in.
- RHEIN-NIXE.** S, white; F, violet blue with white edge. 28 in. 50c each.
- RINGDOVE.** S, pale violet; F, deeper. 44 in. \$1.25 each.
- ROSE UNIQUE.** S, and F, violet-rose. 26 in. 75c each.
- SCHILLER.** S, golden-yellow; F, velvety crimson. 25 in.
- SHERWIN-WRIGHT.** S, and F, bright golden-yellow. 26 in. 50c each.
- SHREWSBURY.** S, rosy-bronze; F, violet-purple with lighter shadings, conspicuous orange beard. Very striking. 75c each.
- TAMERLANE.** S, violet-blue; F, deeper. 36 in. 50c each.
- TRAUTLIER.** S, clear soft rose; F, rose slightly suffused white toward the center. 20 in. 50c each.
- WHITE KNIGHT.** A beautiful absolutely snow-white Iris without markings of any kind. Sweet scented. 18 in. \$1.00 each.
- WYOMISSING.** S, creamy white, suffused delicate soft rose; F, deep rose base shading to flesh-colored border. 75c each.

## INTERMEDIATE IRISES

New Hybrids between the Germanica Type and various Crimean varieties, of medium height bearing large flowers. They bloom early in May, filling in the gap between early flowering dwarfs and the later types.

- FRITJOF.** S, lavender; F, purple, shades lavender. 20 in. 35c each.
- GERDA.** S, creamy yellow, F, deep creamy yellow, veined golden yellow. 18 in. 50c each.
- HALFDAN.** Light creamy yellow; large flowers. 23 in. 35c each.
- HELGE.** Citron-yellow, with pearl-colored center. 23 in. 35c each.
- INGEBORG.** Flowers large, pure white. 18 in. 50c each.
- WALHALLA.** S, lavender; F, wine-red. 23 in. 35c each.

## DWARF BEARDED IRISES

These lovely dwarf Irises are very valuable for planting in groups in front of later varieties in the border or for use as edging. The Hybrids are crosses between the *Pumila* and other dwarf varieties and the *Iris germanica*. The *Pumila* section are the earliest to bloom and they are splendid subjects for the rockery.

Prices—25c each; \$2.25 per 10, unless otherwise noted.

**BRIDESMAID.** S, white, slightly splashed pale blue; F, yellow, veined blue.

**CYANA.** S, rich bright blue; F, dark satiny-blue. 8 in.

**EBURNEA.** White shaded cream. 12 in.

**EXCELSA.** Deep yellow with orange beard. 18 in.

**FLORIDA.** Lemon-yellow with dark yellow shadings.

**FORMOSA.** S, violet-blue; F, violet-purple with white beard. 18 in. 35c each.

**SCHNEEKUPPE.** S, pure white; F, white slightly reticulated yellow at the base. 8 in. 50c each.

**\*PUMILA ATROVIOLOACEA.** Deep purple. 6 in.

**\*PUMILA CAERULEA.** A lovely shade of sky-blue. 4-6 in.

**\*PUMILA COMPACTA.** S, violet-blue; F, dark blue. 35c each.

## BEARDLESS IRISES OF VARIOUS SPECIES

These Irises are hardy and quite distinct from the bearded Irises. Most of them are tall, beautiful, and some may be treated as semi-aquatics like *Versicolor* and *Pseudoacorus*.

Prices—25c each; \$2.25 per 10, except where noted.

**CRISTATA.** A native dwarf species growing 4-6 in. high. Flowers rich amethyst-blue. Fine for planting on rockery.

**GRACILIPES.** A crested variety growing 8-9 in. high, producing masses of delicate lilac shaded flowers.

**OCHROLEUCA.** Strong growing variety. Bold foliage. Flowers ivory-white with orange-yellow blotch at base of falls.

**OCHROLEUCA SHELFORD GIANT.** A hybrid between *Och.* and *Aurea*, S, are ivory white with yellow center; F, golden yellow. Flowers very large, measure about 6 in. in diameter, and finely crimped on the edges. Tall vigorous grower reaching a height of 5 feet. \$6.00 each.

**ORIENTALIS.** Intensely brilliant blue flowers. 3 ft.

**ORIENTALIS "BLUE KING."** A larger flowering variety of deep purplish blue color.

**ORIENTALIS "SNOW QUEEN."** Pure glistening white with yellow throat. Large flowers. 35c each.

**PSEUDOACORUS**—Common Yellow Water Flag—Bright yellow, suitable for planting on the margins of bodies of water or moist, marshy places. 3 ft.

**SIBERICA.** Tall growing species with long narrow foliage, small purplish blue flowers.

**SIBERICA ALBA GRANDIFLORA.** Flowers white with brown reticulations in throat.

**SIBERICA ACUTA.** Dwarf variety. Blue reticulated white.

**SIBERICA GRANDIS.** Violet veined white. Tall.

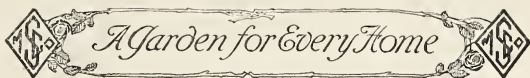
**SIBERICA PERRY'S BLUE.** Large clear sky-blue flowers. The finest *Siberica* Iris. \$4.50 each.

**SPURIA.** Bright lilac-blue. Flowers resemble Spanish Iris. 50c each.

**SPURIA ALBA.** S, and F, pure glistening white. Flowers have long narrow petals.

**SPURIA MRS. A. W. TAIL** (*longipetala superba*). S, porcelain blue; F, very long pale blue with golden blotch at base. 50c each.

**TECTORUM.** A Chinese variety. Foliage long, narrow, strongly ribbed. Flowers blue purple with white crested standards. 40c each.



**TECTORUM ALBA.** Pure white with few faint yellow veins at the base of the segments. \$2.00 each.

**VERSICOLOR.** A native species common to our streams and marshes, flowering in June-July. Very showy, violet-blue flowers. 24 in.

## IRIS KAEMPFERI—Japanese Irises

These are the most gorgeous of all Irises. Strikingly beautiful in their various hues and colorings, yet so harmonious that even the sight of a mixed planting will not offend the eye, but will remain a lasting memory. Many produce very large flowers on long, stately stems. They follow the German Irises in bloom and are at their best in beginning of July.

The best time to plant them is August-September.

The plants we offer are strong field grown clumps with several eyes and will flower the first year.

### Single Varieties

**A. L. SHERWOOD.** Purple veined white. 50c each.

**APOLLO.** Pure white, with pink center. 75c each.

**BRIDE.** Maroon veined white. 50c each.

**CONADI.** Grayish white veined dark blue. 50c each.

**HANNIBAL.** Porcelain-white veined rose-purple with rose-purple center. 50c each.

**HELEN von SIEBOLD.** Reddish violet veined white. 50c each.

**ONDINE.** Pure white shaded pale blue. Very large. \$1.00 each.

**PORCELAIN SCEPTRE.** White, suffused blue, pink center. 75c each.

**SHADOW.** Reddish purple. 50c each.

**SNOW BOUND.** Pure white. 50c each.

**VENUS.** Very large white flowers. 50c each.

**VESTA.** Ash gray, veined purple; purple center. 75c each.

### Double Varieties

**ALBA PLENA.** Very large flowers. Pure white. \$1.00 each.

**BLUE DANUBE.** Pure rich blue, velvety center. 75c each.

**BLUE FLAG.** Indigo blue, yellow at base. 50c each.

**CHAMELION.** Purple, flaked and blotched white. 50c each.

**CRYSTAL.** Pale violet, veined white and white center. \$1.00 each.

**DINAH.** Reddish purple, flaked white. 50c each.

**ECLIPSE.** Deep purple overlaid red. 75c each.

**MAHOGANY.** Velvety mahogany red. 75c each.

**ORION.** White overlaid and bordered maroon. 50c each.

**OTHELLO.** Lavender blue veined white, white center, large flowers. 75c each.

**PAINTED LADY.** White, richly suffused and veined pink. \$1.00 each.

**PARAGON.** Rich velvety purple. \$1.00 each.

**PRINCE CAMILLE de ROHAN.** Rich reddish purple suffused rich indigo blue. 50c each.

**PRINCESS CLOTILDE.** Ash-gray, blushed purple. \$1.00 each.

**PYRAMID.** Light blue with paler center. 50c each.

**VICTOR.** White veined violet blue, purple center. 50c each.

**WM. TELL.** Porcelain white veined blue, and blue center. 75c each.

Small divided plants of all named varieties 25c to 50c each.

Mixed Varieties—25c each; \$20.00 per 100



We are at all times ready to submit carefully prepared planting lists and cost estimates for perennial borders and gardens, giving the color of flowers, also their height and time of blooming. Planting lists giving continuous effects and for any other special requirement supplied.

Separate Lists of the following will be mailed on request: Evergreens, Trees, Shrubs and Fruit Trees, Seeds and Bulbs.



